### LOCAL NEWS.

WEATHER PROBABILITIES .- War Depart ment, Office of the Chief Signal Officer, Washington, D. C., Jan'y. 26, 1877-10:30 a. m.— In the Middle and Eastern States falling barometer, rising temperature, westerly to southerly winds and very generally clear weather, excepting possibly occasional light snows in the northern portions of the latter.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE ALEXANDRIA IN-FIRMARY. - The following acknowledgment is made of the collections in several of the Protestant Churches on "Hospital Sunday," December, 1876: St. Paul's Church, \$56; Christ Church, \$36.23; Grace Church, \$10.97; Methodist Church, South, \$8.

The ladies in charge renew their acknowledgement of the valuable services, generously rendered, during the past year, by Drs. Gibson, Brown, and Stabler, and by Dr. Lewis, as consulting physician, and make the following re-

Funds in hand, January, 1876, \$541.71; received since that date, \$509.20; expended for household expenses, rent, and medicines, \$\$96.75; by request, invested, \$69 12, in \$100 Va. bond, being portion of a gift from the girls of the Clinton-street "Boarding Home," Philadelphia.

Balance in hand, January 12, 1877, \$85 04; Of the receipts reported above, the following account is given : \$30 from the yellow fever fund; \$73, from the Custom-house, for the board of sailors; \$111.20 from the church collections; and \$295 in subscriptions as follows: Mr. Wm. G. Cazenove, \$25; Capt. Booth, \$25; Mrs. Smoot, \$15; Mr. James Green, \$20; eash, \$20; Mr. L. M. Blackford, \$10; S. J. Beach, \$10; Bishop Johns, \$10; Mrs. J. B. Daingerfield, \$10; Mrs. E. Daingerfield, \$10; Mrs Robert Miller, \$10; Master Robert N. Smith, Md., \$10; Mrs. Nannie Lee, \$10; Mrs. H. Daingerfield, \$10; Mrs. John Stewart, \$10; Mrs. John Fowle, \$10; Miss Morrill, \$5; Col. L. Hoxton, \$5; Wm. Hoxton, \$5; Mrs. G. Wheatly, of Warren county, \$5, Mrs. Schaler, \$5; Mrs. Cassius Lee, \$5; Mr. B. Minor, \$5; Miss Carrie Mason, \$5; Miss Johns, \$5; Miss Belle Smith, \$5; Mr. John Southgate, \$5; Miss E. Miller, \$5; Mr. F. Paff, \$5; from --- , \$10; and \$5, from friends, in \$1 subscriptions.

There have been sixteen patients at the In stitution during the past year, and one death has occurred. To the faithful matron and nurse, in charge, is due much of the success in bringing relief to the suffering poor.

This report cannot close without acknowledging the kindness of the friends who have contributed household articles and comforts much needed, and especially, thanks to the lady who, in the midst of Christmas thanksgiving and joy, remembered the sick and needy. A. HERBERT, [Signed.]

SPIRITUALISM .- The "scance" by Mr. and Mrs. George Everett, at Sarepta Hall, last night, was only tolerably well attended, but evening's entertainment. The various feats of tying and untying with ropes, putting on and taking off haudcuffs, ringing bells and playing the guitar, while apparently fast tied to the chair, were eleverly gone through with. Messrs. R. T. Lucas, Alexander Hunter and R. W. Falls, a committee appointed by the audience, supervised the performance with a view to deof the evening was the production of a slate from the cabinet containing a plainly written letter purporting to be from the late Gilbert S. Miner, the signature to which was prosimile of that of Mr. Miner, when alive. Mr. G. A. Mushbach offered to buy the slate in order to compare the writing and signature on it with some letters and papers of G. S. Miner, deceased, in the clerk's office. The slate was given him by the medium. This morning Mr. M. went to the Corporation Court clerk's office and found upon enquiry that some days ago a young man, a stranger, answering to the deto see the papers in the chancery suit of Willoughby vs. G. S. Miner's administrators. They were handed to him and he was busy with them a considerable time, during a portion of which time the clerk was absent from the office and in the court room. The papers in that case contain at least tifty of G. S. Miner's letters and signatures. Mr. Everett will probably give another exhibition here about next Friday night, a portion of the pro-

ceeds of which will be given to the poor. THE BAPTIST REVIVAL .- A correspondent of the Religious Herald writing from this city of the late revival in the Baptist Church here, says: "Our recent meeting has given substantial cause for rejoicing. It was continued for some weeks, closing about the beginning of the holidays. Our pastor labored with a warmth and power which not only, under the divine bless ing, was instrumental in winning many to Christ, but endeared him afresh to his people. About eighty have professed faith in Jesus. We have received nearly fifty in to the fellowship of the church, and there are 'more to follow.' Bro. Penick had a passing visit frem several brethren, who gave us excellent ser mons. Brethren Haynes, Lake and Wyer were with us. Much gratitude is due from pastor and people to Rev. Dr. O. F. Flippo, of Baltimore, who gave assistance for some days in the meeting. Bro. Flippo has earned quite a name as a lecturer in several States, and I fear the tendency of the reputation thus gained in conacction with humorous speaking, has been to witty, entertaining lecturer. But while he is idea of one hundred thousand men coming pound, sure to relieve you, and can do no inrank him, in the minds of many, merely as a this, he is still more. Solemn and earnest in here. manner, forcible in argument, he is one of our most effective preachers. In the meetings we used the 'Gospel Hymns,' and some of them we sang many times over. It is a sweet colcomplete without having sung, 'More to fol low,' or 'One more day's work for Jesus.' And generally, as the large audience slowly went out, the choir and many other brethren and sisters lingered and sang. "Take the name of Jesus with you.

LUDICROUS INCIDENT. - A scene occurred at the station house, this morning, which, if often repeated, would soon do away with all necessity for circuses, negro minstrels, or other publie amusement?. A colored woman named Delia Jones had prefered a charge ugainst a negro boy named Smith Beal, a somewhat no- just now in order. Mr. Speaker Randall gave torious youngster in police circles, of "cussin' and assaulting her. Beal being found guilty was sentenced to receive ten lashes, to be administered by the woman. When taken below the woman with many shouts of laughter said that she "clared to goodness" she could not whip the boy, although he had behaved so badly to her. After much persuasion and being locked up in a cell with threats to keep her there, and at the earnest and repeated solicitations of the prisoner, she consented to whip him, and accordingly proceeded to do so, accompanying each blow of the rawhide with | S. Mosby on the one side and Pintt, Stowell, guffaws of laughter, which were so ludierous that they were joined in by all of the bystanders, including the prisoner himself. She then departed, her shouts of laughter continuing to Mosby and the nomination to the Senate of be heard as long as she was within hearing dis | Maj. J. S. Braxton, Col. Brady being pressed

and 3d verse, "I am doing a great work, so that I cannot come down." Rev. Mr. Beyer, the late pastor of the church, was present, and made a few remarks. At night, the church

was filled downstairs, with many in the galle ries. Rev. J. S. Beyer preached from Issiah i chap, and 18th verse, "Come now and let us reason together." Rev. W. C. Webb followed in an earnest appeal to the unconverted, and invited them to come forward. The communion rail was soon completely surrounded, and as penitents continued to come, the front seats had to be cleared, so that there might be room for them. Sixteen or seventeen came forward, and several professed conversion. The meetings will be continued to day. Rev. W. C. Webb will preach.

SALE OF FISHING SHORES.-The fishing shore at "Pratt's Point," with three hundred and twenty acres of land attached, in King George county, and "Bluff Point," with three hundred acres, have been sold to Mr. J. C. Shelton, the former for \$1,435, and the latter

CURIOSITIES .- The display of curiosities at 108 King street attracts large numbers of sight seers, especially from among the juveniles. The horse which has eight well developed hoofs and the mermaid are indeed natural curiosities, while the performances of Punch and Judy serve to give a humorous close to the entertainment, which highly delights the young people.

FINE PERCH.-Mr. George E. Price received this afternoon a lot of splendid salt water white perch, which he will have for sale at his stand in the Market square to morrow morning.

### BY TELEGRAPH.

Special Dispatches to the Gazette.

### From Washington.

THE ELECTORAL COUNT BILL IN THE HOUSE. WASHINGTON, Jan. 26, 1877.-The discussion of the compromise bill was continued in the House last night and resumed this morning at ten o'clock, the feature of the debate this morning being the speech of Mr. Hartridge, of Georgia, whose elequence perfectly electrified the House. His allusion to the coat of arms of Georgia, directly over the Speaker's head, "Wisdom, hope and moderation," was most affecting, and the House and galleries could not refuse a burst of applause. He spoke in favor of the bill, and was listened to with a deference seldom accorded any one. His speech was not only able, but beautiful.

Mr. Mills, of Texas, opposed the bill upon the ground of unconstitutionality, and was re-

Mr. Lamar, of Mississippi, who made a very strong argument to prove that there was nothing unconstitutional in the proposed plan. He took very much the ground taken by Mr. Goode. that a failure to adjust the present difficulty would lead to an ignominious back done or war, and thought that the man who jeers at the idea those who went were much pleased with the of war, under such circumstances, had not learned the rudiments of popular sentiment. He culogized the Supreme Court, and urgently appealed for the passage of the bill, as a measure of wisdom and justice.

Mr. Watterson, of Ky., contended that if this plan is rejected, a President would be intecting any deception, but could find none. augurated without a proper title, the effect of What was considered the most remarkable feat | which would be baneful to the whole country, and at the next election fraud would again usurp the place of right and justice, and he was not prepared to say that war might not follow with nounced by his intimate friends to be a fac all its horrors. He thought that if arbitration had have been suggested the last war might have been averted.

Mr. Huribut, of Ill., rad., opposed the bill and designated it as a "great national game of draw."

Mr. Hill, of Ga., said his apprehensions of trouble had been dispelled entirely, and he scription of the medium, had called and asked | would warmly support the bill because it was wise and patriotic-very. He alluded to the spirit exhibited by the South under all the recont trials, as one of torbearance and peace, and hoped that the epithet of "rebel" and "traitor" would not again be hurled at men who sacrificed all for what they believed to be right, and who now uphold the whole country, and cried out "blessed be he that blesses ber, and cursed be those who curse her."

Mr. Davis, of North Carolina, made a speech, in which he referred to the attempt to "count in" North Carolina for the radicals, and gave Kilpatrick "hail Columbia" for his attempted interference in that State, and his testimony of things that he had never seen. He read, with great effect, Sam. Weller's testimoney in the Bardwell trial, and thought Kilpatrick would have been a better witness than the immortal Sam, for the latter could see through deal doors, stairways and even mountains.

Mr. Singleton, of Miss., opposed the bill on constitutional grounds, and was followed on the same side by Mr. Lapham,

Messrs, Suthard and Vance, of Ohio, opposed the bill.

Mr. Foster, of Ohio, a leading radical, favor ed the bill.

Mr. Townsend, of N. Y., made an humorous speech in opposition to the bill, ridicaling the

During Mr. Lamar's speech one of the legs of the Speaker's chair gave way and Mr. Randall was thrown to the floor, without injury, lection. We hardly felt that a meeting was however, but causing considerable stir for a few moments.

J. Proctor K nott opposed the bill, and Goy. Walker gave his reasons for supporting it in an able specch.

PASSAGE OF THE BILL. The bill passed the House-ages, 191;

While there is not much gaity at the National Capital, Congressional entertainments are a supper last night, which will be followed by a grand entertainment to-night by Mr. Fernando wood, of New York, and to-morrow night Mr. Elijah Ward, of New York, is to follow with a splendid supper.

COLLECTOR OF NORFOLK.

It is known that for some time past there has been a "fight" going on over the appointment of a Collector of the port of Norfolk by Col. J. &c., on the other - natives vs. carpet-baggers. This morning the result is the triumph of Col by the carpet bag element, led by Platt & Co. M. E. Church. -There was quite a large The nomination of Braxton is looked upon as congregation yesterday afternoon. The exer- a victory for the natives, as it certainly is for CHEAP COAL cises were conducted by the pastor. The sub- | Col. Mosby, who claims that he has put to ject of the address was Nehemiah, vi. chap. route the whole carpet bag fore. Col. Brady's

ton substituted. The office has much patron-

U. S. SENATOR FROM GEORGIA.

A dispatch received at 1:30 to-day from Jackson, Miss., aunounces that Mr. Ben Hill was this morning elected U. S. Senator from that State, in place of Mr. Norwood, the incumbent. Mr. Hill was the recipiest of many warm congratulations on the floor of the House upon the announcement of his election. It was a coincidence that immediately upon the close of his elegant speech in favor of the adjust-

ment plan he received the news of his election

as Senator. WEST VIRGINIA SENATORS.

Mr. Frank Hereford, of the House, was today elected U. S. Senator from West Virginia for the short term and Mr. Henry G. Davis for the long term, over Mr. Faulkner. Mr. Hereford will succeed Mr. Price, appointed to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Mr. Caperten, and Mr. Davis will be his own successor. Mr. H. is the son of an old Alexandrian. JUDGE APPOINTED.

Judge Settle, of N. C., defeated for Governor of North Carolina by Gov. Vance, has been appointed by the President judge of the Circuit Court of Florida.

#### Congress. THE SENATE.

WASHINGTON, D. C., January 26, 1877 .-The Senate was occupied to-day, during the morning hour, with the consideration of private bills of no public interest.

The Senate then took up the bill for building a market on Corcoran Square, in the city of Washington. It was discussed by Mr. Insalls and Mr. Edmunds, and laid aside.

The Florida Committee's report was then taken up, and Mr. Jones, of Florida, addressed the Senate at length.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

The House met this morning at 10 o'clock, and the debate on the electoral count bill was resumed by Messrs. Hooker, Hartridge, Felton, Mills, Lamar, Baker, Watterson, Hurlbut, Hill of Georgia, Davis of North Carolina, Singleton, Lapham, Bland, Suthard, Vance, Foster, Linders, Townsend, and others. The vote will not be taken before 4 o'clock.

At two minutes before 12 the House adjourned, and at 12 met again, when the Speaker announced as the select committee to whom was referred the President's message, giving his reasons for sending troops into the Southern States at the late election, the following: Messrs. Wood, Goode, Suthard, Throckmorton, Caldwell, Smith of Georgia, Harrison, Kasson, Foster, Eams, and Page.

The time for taking the vote upon the electoral count bill, was extended one hour-to 4 o'clock this evening.

### Pennsylvania Belligerent.

HARRISBURG, PA., Jan. 26.-The following was adopted in the House this morning: Resolved by the House of Representatives of ennsylvania that the vote east for the authorized electors for President and Vice President of the United States indicates the election of Rutherford B. Hayes and Wm. A. Wheeler to those offices respectively, and they of right ought to be inaugurated at the national capitol on the ensuing 4th day of March by the constitutional authorities.

## Local Brevities.

The condition of affairs on the river remains unchanged; nothing but ice, as far as the eye can reach, above and below the city.

A marriage license was granted in Washington, yesterday, to William A. Branner, and Lulla V. Speake, of Dumfries, Va. The hop of the A. B. C. Socials at Peabody

Hall, although the attendance was small, was an enjoyable affair. The following donations have been received at the soup house, since last report: G. Wm.

Ramsay. I bag of meal; J. Wenzel, lot of bread; Samuel Pullman, I bbl of turnips. A meeting of those interested in having another spiritual seance or exhibition in this city by Mr. George Everett, for the benefit of the poor, will be held at City Sergeant Lucas'

office to morrow evening at So'clock.

The measles has broke out in the city and there are a good many children and young people now down with it. As previously announced the scarlet fever is prevailing to an alarming extent in Alexandria and Fairfax H. B. Hoomes. counties.

WHISPERINGS OF LOVE .- Your baby's life is in danger whenever it is troubled with a cough or cold. Give Dr. Buil's Cough Syrup.

One thing should be considered, that is, Dr. E. H. Wells, dentist, of Washington, has a good practice, and when you buy Wells' Eureka you get something worth having, and not an article to injure the teeth; he has his reputation

You who lead sedentary lives-Printers, Tailors, Shoemakers, &c., will find a great relief for the constipation from which you so often suffer, by taking Simmons' Liver Regulator. It is a simple, harmless, vegetable com-

## SPECIAL NOTICES.

Tons of Grapes and their Use.-It is astonishing to see the large quantity of grapes of the finest quality, and large clusters, that are each year mashed up for Wine, at the Vineyards of A. Speer, Passaic, N. J. Mr. Speer raises the Oporto Grape; also purchases large quantities from which he makes his celebrated Wine, without the admixture of alcohol or spirits. This wine is found by careful analysis to be the best wine in market for invalids and debilitated persons. It is called Speer's Port Grape Wine, and is sold by druggists. The highest premium has been awarded at the Centennial.

GREAT UPROAR ABOUT CLOTHING .-

The largest stock of Overcoats and Suits bought at bankrupt sale to close out. Good Overcoats from \$2.50 upwards, including the very best of imported Chinchillas, Beavers, Kerseys, &c. Gents' Cassimere Suits, consisting of Coat, Pants and Vest, at \$4,50; all wool Suits at \$6.50 and upwards, including the finest imported materials; excellent Children's Suits, 3 years, \$1.25; 4 years \$1.75; 5 years \$2.25; 6 years \$2.75 and upwards. They must be sold quick at

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ANTHRACITE STOVE COAL. FOR SALE AT SIX DOLLARS PER TON (delivered.)
SAMUEL BAKER,
Corner Duke and Fairfax sts. ian 25-1w

DRY GOODS.

FAREWELL

Having received to-day the last and remaining ock of the Combinstion, I most respectfully announce to the people of Alexandria and vi cinity that I will remove the entire stock on or about the first day of February. Having determined to sell all goods at a groat sacrifice rather than remove them, and having concluded rather to dispose of them at private sale than at auction, I will only say one word, and that is, that ALL OUR GOODS ARE MARKED AT EX-ACTLY ONE HALF ORIGINAL VALUE, and only ask an examination of the prices and goods, which are arranged from this day in lots and prices to make every one astonished-a chance you will never, never get again. Call and convince yourself, as this is the only proper way I can satisfy you all. Thanking my friends and customers for their liberal share of patronage, I am most thankfully yours,

# $\mathbf{H}.~~\mathbf{SCHWARZ},$

Manager Great Combination Store, (MUIR'S CORNER.)

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# CHEAP FOR CASH.

Having determined to retire from the Carpet business, I will from now until February first, 1877, sell the entire stock of

TAPESTRY, BRUSSELS, THREE PLY, INGRAIN, RAG AND HEMP Carpets, Oil Cloths, Mattings,

RUGS, &c., AT GREATLY REDUCED PRICES. All persons in want will do well to call before purchasing elsewhere.

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SPECIAL NOTICE.

We have on hand MORE DRESS GOODS, MORE CASSIMERES,

MORE WATERPROOFS and MORE WINTER GOODS generally

than we are desirous of carrying over until next fail. Purchasers of the above goods can secure positive bargains from us before we take our annual inventory of stock, on February 1st.

ODDS and ENDS of White Goods, Domesties, Black Alpacas, &c., very cheap during this

## PRETZFELDER & CO.,

144 King street. CLOSING SALES OF WINTER STOCK.
From 10 to 15 per ct. Reduction From 10 to 15 per ct. Reduction.
Blankets, Quilts, Comforts and Cloaks at Cost Thursday, December 28, 1876.
We take account of stock to 1st February, 1877, and from to-day we offer all styles of FANCY AND STAPLE DRY GOODS

at such reduced prices as to ensure quick sales. Special inducements offered to country merchants. We sell at Baltimore quotations. D. F. BRASHEAR, No. 109 King street, H. B. Hoomes. Alexandria, Va.

dec 28 NEW AND CHEAP DRESS GOODS. December 22, 1876.

December 22, 1876. We received to day a new style of Cheap Dress Goods, viz: PORTIA, PEERLESS and BAGSHAW, and soll them at 12½c per yardvery desirable. We have a few very handsome CLOAKS in stock, which we sell sell at about

D. F. BRASHEAR, No. 109 King street, Alexandria, Va. dec 22 SHIRTS OF MASONVILLE COTTON.

1800, Linen in Bosoms and Laundried, at \$1.25. A job lot of 20 boxes just received. The cheapest Shirt we have ever sold.
doc 22
H. C. SLAYMAKER CO.

NECK WEAR AT REDUCED PRICES. Just opened SCARFS that we have been selling at \$1.371 reduced so that we can sell them

at \$1. Splendid goods.
dec 22 H. C. SLAYMAKER CO. THE FEW CLOAKS STILL ON HAND

MUST BE SOLD, and you can buy almost at YOUR OWN PRICE,

Cloak if price will sell them.

DRESS GOODS AT CLOSING PRICES, and TEN CENTS OFF ON EACH DOLLAR H. C. SLAYMAKER CO.

dec 21 NEW GOODS!

NEW GOODS! A large assortment of double width (36 inch)

all Wool Cashmere, worth 75c, at 62c. Black all Wool Cashmere, worth \$1, at 75c. Striped all Wool Goods for Polonaises at 25c. 1000 yards of Simpson's Solid Black Calico, in

emnants, at 6c per yard.

A beautiful line of Black Mohairs and Alpacas, very cheap. Cassimere for Men and Boys' wear at 371 up. Fine ali Wool Shawls, Blankots, &c. Opera Flannel in all shades at 35c per yard. A full line of Gents' and Ladies' Underwear

A large and complete stock of Notions, Hoiery, &c. D. BENDHEIM, 112 King st., Adj'g. Marshall House.

Has just opened from New York an additional

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supply of CLOAKS, new styles, and very superior BLACK FRENCH CASHMERES. These goods are beautiful in their finish and very brilliant blacks.
A fine line of SKIRTING FLANNELS, yard wide, of all grades, some all wool and of

the finest quality.

HEAVY ENGLISH CRAPE VELLS.

Also a large lot of CRUMB CLOTHS, a sizes and very rich patterns and colors.

NOTICE TO OWNERS OF REAL ESTATE Before commencing assessing for the Corporation on the 1st of February, 1 can be found at my office, No. 5 Market building, from 2 to 5 p. m., so as to meet persons wishing changes made in their real estate. GEORGE DUFFEY,

Comm'r. of Revenue. jan 8-eot F1 NOTICE-All persons having claims against the SCHOONER MARGARET ELLA are hereby notified to present the same to the undersigned on or before January 31st, 1877.
jan 22-181st A. W. ARMSTRONG. COMMISSION MERCHANIS.

THOMAS PERRY, Agent,

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Alexandria, Virginia.
Orders and consignments solicited. They will
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B. LAWSON & CO., [Successors to R. M. Lawson,] GROOERS AND LIQUOL MERCHANTS,

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NO. 20 UNION STREET,
ALEXANDRIA, VA.
Consignments of Grain, Merchandise and all
kinds, of Country Produce solicited. Special
attention given to all business entrusted to them. Prompt returns made.

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COAL, SALT AND PLASTS
SMOOT S WHARF,
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Wholesale Dealers in
GROCERIES,
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Also keep on hand a general assortment of Cordage, Tar, Pitch, Nails, Lime, Packing, Oils, Lamps and Ship and Naval Stores. All orders and consignments promptly attended to, and goods forwarded without delay to conignees on arrival.

Agents for Dupont's Gunpowder. XXX Ale and Porter always on hand. Agents for the Baltimore and Potomse Trans-

### COPARINERSHIPS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Mr. JULIAN T. BURKE is authorized to sign our firm name to drafts and endorsoments of drafts, notes and checks for collection in the usual course of banking and brokerage business, and we do hereby consider all of his legal acts in the above premises as binding upon on and after this date January 2, 1877.

BURKE & HERBERT. jan 2-lm NOTICE OF COPARTNERSHIP.

Mr. FRANK S. HARPER has this day purchazed a half interest in my business, which will be conducted hereafter under the firm name of A. J. FLEMING & CO. I thank my customers and the tublic generally for their past patronage, and solicit a continuance of the same to the new firm. All persons indebted to the old firm are requested to call and settle A. J. FLEMING.

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Sheet Music. Also Paper Bags, Flour Sacks, Shipping Tags, See, de January 1, 1877. N. B.—"Rather far down town," some say

# but still I am six miles this side of Washington city. "Nuf ced." jan 1 Mrs. A. G. NEWTON

Has taken the elegant, commodious and eligibly located dwelling at the northeast corner of Cameron and St. Asaph streets, formerly the residence of J. H. McVeigh, esq , and has relitted it thoroughly for the accommodation of PER MANENT, TRANSIENT and TABLE BOARDERS, who will be accommodated on the most reasonable terms. BLACK FRENCH CASHMERE.

We received this day (January 13, 1877,) the best and cheapest line of Black Cashmeres offered by us this season. Call and examine them. Also a choice lot of pretty new Calicoes and other goods-all cheap. A few beautiful Cloaks on hand for less than

D. F. BRASHEAR, No. 109 King street, H. B. Hoomes. William Ogden. [jan 1] Alexandria, Va. MOUNT VERNON NURSERIES
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FRUIT TREES ADAPTED TO THIS RE

GION A SPEJIALTY. MALL FRUIT, OKNAMENTAL TREES Etc., &c. Send for a Catalogue to C. GILLINGHAM & CO.

Accotink Postoffice, nov 4-Lwif NEW GOODS JUST RECEIVED.

Our sales at reduced prices had so reduced our stock that we have visited the market to replenish, and again our stock is well assorted, and will be sold cheap.

H. C. SLAYMAKER CO. jan 12 LOST-January 12th, a BLACK SHAGGY DOG; answers to the name of Pharoah. A suitable reward will be paid to any one returning it to Mrs. B. MOORE, south Washington street,

near Franklin. MORE FORTY CENT TEAS at BAM AUCTION SALES.

By F. A. Kerby, Auct'r. RUSTEES' SALE OF REAL ESTATE-Default having been made for six succesive menths in the payment of the semi-monthly instalments secured to "The Alexandria Co-Operative Building Association of Alexandria, Va.," by the deed of trust hereinafter mentioned, and the Board of Directors of the said association having requested in writing a sale of the property thereby conveyed, the undersigned, in pursuance of the said request and by virtue of the deed of trust from Georgeanna Day to them, dated on the 4th day of October, 1875, and of record in the Cierk's onice of the Corporation Court for the city of Alexandria, Virginia, liber No. 6, page 66, will expose for sale by public auction, on SATURDAY, the 10th day of Feb-

side of Lee street, between Princess and Queen streets, in front on Lee street 34 feet 94 inches. and extending westwardly in depth 123 feet 5 inches. Terms of Sale-One third of the purchase money in cash on the day of sale, and the residue in two equal payments at three and six months from the day of sale; the deferred pay-ments to bear interest from the day of sale and to be secured by the notes of the purchaser, with approved personal security, and the retention of the title to the property until they are paid. Costs of conveyancing to be paid by the pur-

chaser.

ruary, 1877, at 12 m., in front of the Market

Building, on Royal street, in the city of Alexandria, Virginia, the property conveyed by the said deed of trust—A LOT OF GROUND, with the IMPROVEMENTS thereon, in

the said city of Alexandria, situated on the west

GEO. H. ROBINSON JNO. B. SMOOT, THOMAS PERRY, Trustees,

jan 19--eots TRUSTEE'S SALE-By virtue of a deed of trust from William Miller, dated October 17th, 1871, the subscriber, as trustee, and at the request of the creditor by said deed secured, will sell, by public auction, on SATURDAY, the 10th day of February, 18.7, at twelve m., in front of the Market building, on Royal st., the property conveyed to him by said deed of trust, namely: A certain LOT OF LAND, situate, being and lying in the said city of Alexandria, on the east side of Henry street, fronting 32 feet 9 inches on said Henry street, and running east 55 feet, more or less, bounded west on Henry st., north on land of the late James English, east on land of Lewis Baltimore, and south on land

of Lewis Baltimore. Terms of Sale-Cash. jan 10-w4w GEORGE L. SEATON, Trustee. VALUABLE LANDED ESTATES FOR V SALE-By virtue of a deed of trust executed to the undersigned on the 15th day of April, 1870, to secure a debt to W. S. Gurneo, of New York city, the following large, productive and very valuable estates will be offered for sale on the premises, respectively, at the times

and on the terms hereinafter named, to wit:
On FRIDAY, the 5th day of January, 1877,
the MOSS NECK ESTATE, containing nearly
700 acres, on the Rappahannock river, below Fredericksburg, in Caroline county.
On TUESDAY, the 9th of January, 1877, the
LEEDS MANOR ESTATE, containing 3900 acres, lying near Markham station, on the Manasses Gap Railroad, in Fauquier county, and On THURSDAY, the 11th of January, 1877,

the TRACT OF LAND, within four miles of

Staunton, containing about 456 acres, and now held and possessed by Col. A. W. Harman, and being one of the most valuable estates in Augusta county. The improvements on each of these properties are good. Possession given in time for Spring crops; the exact time will be announced at the sales. All growing crops will be reserved.

trust deed. The titles are believed to be good, but only such will be conveyed as are vested in the undersigned. HUGH W. SHEFFEY,

The sales will be for eash, as required by the

EDMUND COFFIN, Jr., Trustees. nov 8-wts
POSTPONEMENT-By consent of the parties interested the above sales will be postponed as follows, viz : Of Moss Neck till TUES-DAY, the 6th of February, 15.7; of Leeds Ma-nor till THURSDAY, the 8th day of February,

1877, and the Harman Farm, near Staunton, till
SATURDAY, the 10th day of February, 1877.
HUGH W. SHEFFEY
KDMUND COFFIN, Jr., | Trustees. ian 4-wts

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uary next. Apply to WM. H. IRWIN, No. 182 Princo st., Alexandria, Va. oct 4-tl NO. 42 S. WASHINGTON ST. FOR RENT. Possession given October 1st, 1876.
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